

P-PATCH COMMUNITY GARDENING PROGRAM

HOW THE INTEREST LIST WORKS?

The interest list is for folks wanting to design, build or garden in a P-Patch. To sign up for a P-Patch garden plot or become a member in a collective (call 206-684-0264; email p-patch.don@seattle.gov; sign up on-line <http://www.seattle.gov/neighborhoods/ppatch/signupPpatch.htm>)

- Individuals are placed on the requested list/s by date of first request.
- Individuals must be City of Seattle residents. Exceptions are made for those non-Seattle residents who live near gardens on the edge of the city limits; however, City of Seattle residents have priority. No exceptions are made for gardens located on Department of Parks and Recreation property.
- Individuals may request to be placed on up to two (2) P-Patch interest lists, listing them in order of preference.
- Gardeners on interest lists are contacted every fall for continued interest. If a potential P-Patch gardener does not reply, they will be removed from the interest lists. Once removed, gardeners have one year to request reinstatement at their original date.
- Gardeners will only be assigned space at one P-Patch.
- Plots cannot automatically be transferred to co-gardeners. To become the assigned gardener, a co-gardener must have gardened long enough that they would have been assigned a plot had they been on the interest list.

While you're waiting for a P-Patch community garden:

With the huge and growing interest in gardening and urban agriculture, you will have to wait awhile before getting a community garden plot. Some of the following websites may help get you gardening sooner:

- Urban Garden Share <http://www.urbangardenshare.org/> and Urban Land Army <http://www.urbanlandarmy.com/> click on Land Link. These two web sites try to connect those who have spare land with those who want to garden
- 2010 Year of Urban Agriculture:.. The city sponsored web site is part of Seattle's 2010 Year of Urban Agriculture; it list news, events and activities <http://www.seattle.gov/urbanagriculture/>
- Urban farm hub. This local websites compiles an amazing amount of urban agriculture related news. <http://www.urbanfarmhub.org/>



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